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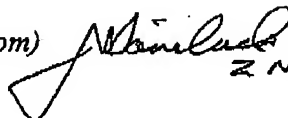
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In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 21, 2005, enclosed is the corrected "Amendments to the Claims" section which includes a complete list of the claims. No fees are believed to be due; however, if any fees are deemed to be necessary, the United States Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account 23-3030, but not to include the payment of any issue fee.

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